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FARMINGTON, MO., MARCH 16, 1906.

Democratic Committee Meeting.

We are requested by Chairman W. F. Arnold of the County Democratic Committee to say that the committee meeting on Saturday, March 24th, will convene at 10 o'clock a. m. instead of 1 p. m., and all members are requested to make note of the time. Candidates are invited to meet with the committee.

The County Collector's commission for collecting the taxes of 1905 amount to \$3,014.08. Quite a snug little income, and one that makes this office a very desirable one.

The past year the people of St. Francois county paid in the way of direct taxes for public school purposes \$50,038.67. Add to this the State apportionment for public schools and the interest on the permanent county and school township funds, and St. Francois county shows up pretty well in its support of public education.

The Democratic Committee of this Senatorial District meets at Ste. Genevieve tomorrow to make arrangements for the nomination of a candidate for State Senator. Hon. John L. Bradley of Flat River, we understand, is a candidate for re-nomination. And so far as we are advised, has the field to himself. Mr. Bradley's public record for the past six years, two in the House of Representatives and four in the Senate, has gained him a reputation for honesty and given him a high standing among the laboring men of the district and State, whose interests he fearlessly espoused. For this reason and the fact that he is an active worker and campaigner he would make a strong man on the ticket.

YOKING THE TERRITORIES.

The omnibus statehood bill was split wide open in the Senate last Friday, that body eliminating that part of the measure relating to the admission of Arizona and New Mexico as one State, and agreeing to the provision in relation to Oklahoma and Indian Territory. While each of these territories is ready for statehood and should be admitted as separate States, the defeat of the Administration's plan to yoke Arizona and New Mexico into single statehood is some recognition of Western sentiment and feeling. The underlying policy of the Republican party of the commercialized East against separate statehood for each of these territories is based on sectional politics pure and simple; fear of the augmentation of representation and power of the growing and aggressive West in the United States Senate, and a corresponding weakening of the power of the little borough States of the East in the same body.

The bill as it now goes back to the House has aroused the fighting ire of Speaker Cannon, the czar and big boss of that body, and he declares that it would be humiliating to the House to accept the measure as it comes from the Senate. He is therefore contriving to override the Senate, and says it must be the original omnibus bill or nothing; that Arizona must be yoked to New Mexico or Oklahoma and Indian Territory shall not come in. Great as is the power of the Big Boss of the House and the Big Stick of the White House, it is confidently predicted that he can neither prevent the concurrence of the House in the Senate's action nor carry out his other alternative of defeating the whole measure.

If he could do the latter, we don't know but what it would be for the best in the end. While the people of Oklahoma and Indian Territory are clamoring for state-

hood and are even willing to come in as a single State rather than not at all, a delay of a year or two might bring them better results—separate statehood for themselves as well as for Arizona and New Mexico.

The United States government is gradually pacifying the Filipinos. Last week we succeeded in putting over 600 Moros, men, women and children to sleep. They were natives of the island of Jolo, one of the Philippine Archipelago. They were called a band of outlaws. They were ignorant, half savages—perhaps wholly savage—who did not appreciate the benevolent intentions of the United States and our troops to "pacify" them and train them in the ways of self-government, and had revolted against our humane advances. They had banded themselves together and took refuge under an aggressive leader on the top of Mount Dajo, at the very mouth of a volcano. It is said "they had long harassed the efforts of the Americans to pacify the island." On the afternoon of March 6th the United States troops made a sally, surprising them and thus revealing their exact location. The next day the mountain steep was sealed and by means of block and tackle artillery was hoisted to a convenient firing place. The Moros were probably feeling too secure in their stronghold to interfere with this difficult and deliberate approach, or they didn't know how to retreat. The artillery and troops in place, the butchery commenced. The Moros must have made some resistance, for thirteen enlisted men were killed and four officers and thirty-two men wounded. Evidently no quarter was shown. "All the defenders of the Moro stronghold were killed"—"Six hundred dead bodies were found on the field," say the exultant dispatches. No wounded Moros are reported—all dead. Later reports make the number of dead much larger, including women and children. Surely the work of pacification goes successfully and bravely on. The dead are safely pacified.

Meeting of Senatorial Committee.

The Democratic Senatorial Committee of the Twenty-sixth State Senatorial district of Missouri is hereby called to meet at Ste. Genevieve, Mo., on Saturday, March 17, 1906, for the purpose of deciding the time and manner of nominating a Democratic candidate for State Senator in this (the 26th) district, composed of the counties of Jefferson, Madison, Perry, Ste. Genevieve and St. Francois, and to transact such other business as may come before the committee.

J. B. ROBERTS, Chairman.
WILLIAM H. LEWIS, Sec'y.

There was a big fire in Ironton on the 6th, in which several buildings on the main street were destroyed, and a man named Christ was burned to death. The loss to buildings was about \$6,000 with only about \$1,000 insurance. The Ironton Register building was near the fire, and was saved by hard work.

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The only guaranteed kidney remedy. Buy it—try it—it costs you nothing if it fails. Price 50c at E. M. Laakman's.

Poplar Bluff is to have an electric railway.

PEOPLE'S FREE COLUMN

Notices of Wants, Lost, Found, Strays, Stock for Sale, &c., not exceeding 25 words, inserted free for subscribers of THE TIMES under this head.

FOR SALE—About 1 dozen bee hives and bees. Apply to Henry Meyer, 3 1/2 miles north of Farmington.

FOR SALE—Good milk cow with calf. Apply to Eliza B. Burgess, 5 miles east of Farmington, on Ste. Mary's road.

COUNTY COURT.

Following is the last day's proceedings of the adjourned term of County Court held last week:

On account of change of road law road overseers elected last year are requested to make their settlements at the April term, beginning Wednesday, the 4th day of April.

Satisfaction was ordered entered on school fund mortgage of Catherine Moran.

Dramshop license was issued to N. A. Buchanan.

The Court ordered the transfer of \$3,000 from the grand and petit juror's fund for the relief of the contingent fund, and further instructed the County Treasury to set apart from the sum transferred \$2,200 for the payment of inquest fee bills of 1902-3, amounting to \$521.59, and \$1,678.89 for criminal costs fee bills covered by warrants Nos. 401, 512 and 185.

Collector G. B. Bennan presented his settlement of funds and money collected for the fiscal year ending March 5, 1906, which was approved.

The following warrants were issued: Henderson Mercantile Co., supplies for infirmary, \$6.12; J. J. Croke, services at Circuit Court, \$24.00 and \$8.00 at County Court; C. T. Tulloch, judge, \$21.50; Allen Hill, Judge, \$20.50; O. J. Mayberry, judge, \$20.00; John S. Wood, merchandise, \$2.50.

Court adjourned to Thursday, March 15.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS.

Sealed bids will be received to noon, Friday, the 6th day of April, 1906, for the construction and completion of the following work:

For the construction and completion of the approaches to the Terre Blue bridge on the Bonne Terre and French Village road, according to the plans and specifications adopted by the County Court, and on file in the County Clerk's office.

For the construction and completion of a rock road on the Bonne Terre and French Village road, from Big River bridge at Pige Ford, to the west end of the approach to Terre Blue bridge, according to plans and specifications adopted by the County Court, and on file in the County Clerk's office.

For the construction and completion of a rock road on the Farmington and Fredericktown road, from Copenhagen Church westwardly to the extent of the appropriation, according to plans and specifications adopted by the County Court, and on file in the County Clerk's office.

For the construction and completion of a rock road on the old Iron Mountain and Ste. Genevieve road, from Doe Run westwardly to the extent of the appropriation, according to plans and specifications adopted by the County Court, and on file in the County Clerk's office.

Bidders must bid on each piece of road separately, as designated above, and by the lineal rod or mile, and as a whole for the approaches. The names of bidders must be given with each bid. Bids must be sealed, addressed to the County Court, and endorsed "Bid for Rock Road," and delivered to the County Clerk.

By order of the County Court.

S. L. ASBURY, Clerk.

Special Road and Bridge Commissioner.

March 14th, 1906.

Notice of Annual Election.

Notice is hereby given that an annual election will be held in the city of Farmington, in the wards thereof, on Tuesday, the 3d day of April, 1906, for the election of a City Collector of Revenue, and one Alderman for each ward, each for a term of two years. Polling places as follows:

First Ward—City Hall, Meyer's building, Columbia street.
Second Ward—Sheriff's office, court house, Public Square.
Third Ward—Schmitt's wagon shop, Harrison street.
Fourth Ward—Henry Manley's shoe shop, Henry street.

Polls opened and closed as the law directs.

JOHN T. BURKS, Mayor.

Attest:

S. L. ASBURY, Clerk.

March 15, 1906.

Annual School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of School District No. 24, township 36, range 5 east (City of Farmington), county of St. Francois, State of Missouri, that the annual school meeting of said district will be held on Tuesday, the 3d day of April, 1906, commencing at time of the city election and closing with same, to vote for two School Directors for three years each, and for Road Overseers in the different road districts embraced in said district and outside of the corporate limits of the city of Farmington. No one living within the corporation can vote for road overseer. Each one voting for road overseer shall vote in the ward adjacent to the road district in which he resides.

W. H. YOUNG, District Clerk.

March 14, 1906.

MISSISSIPPI RIVER & BONNETERRE

LEAVE ARRIVE

FLAT RIVER ST. LOUIS

5:25 A. M. 8:35 A. M.

8:58 A. M. 11:40 A. M.

4:10 A. M. 7:15 P. M.

LEAVE ARRIVE

ST. LOUIS FLAT RIVER

7:50 A. M. 10:45 A. M.

2:21 A. M. 4:50 P. M.

5:31 P. M. 8:36 P. M.

Candidates' Announcements.

Democratic Primary April 14.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

J. H. DUNKLIN authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Representative, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

CLERK OF COUNTY COURT.

J. A. LAWRENCE authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Clerk of the County Court and Recorder, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT.

C. P. WILKSON authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court and Recorder, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

COUNTY COURT JUSTICE.

JEFF D. MITCHELL authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Justice of the County Court from the First district, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

FIRST DISTRICT.

GEORGE W. COVINGTON authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Justice of the County Court from the First district, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF.

G. M. FRASER authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

JOHN L. BURNS authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.

JOSEPH L. RAW, JR., authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

B. C. TUCKER authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

FOR COLLECTOR.

JEFF D. MITCHELL authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Collector, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

FOR TREASURER.

W. T. HAILE authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

W. J. LEVELL authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Justice of the Peace of St. Francois township, subject to the nomination of the Democratic party.

CITY OFFICERS.

FOR CITY COLLECTOR.

OSCAR L. HAILE authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Collector of the City of Farmington at the municipal election, Tuesday, April 3.

ANDERSON COUNTS authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Collector of the City of Farmington at the municipal election, Tuesday, April 3.

JACOB KREIDER authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Collector of the City of Farmington at the municipal election, April 3.

D. J. DUGGITY authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Collector of the City of Farmington at the municipal election, April 3.

GEO. W. SEBASTIAN authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Collector of the City of Farmington at the municipal election, April 3.

FOR ALDERMAN.

J. C. MCCORMICK authorizes us to announce him as a candidate for Alderman in the 2d ward.

W. M. HARLAN, President.
W. R. LANG, Vice-Pres.
M. P. CAYCE, Cashier.

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Don't Blame the Cook

If the cookery is bad it's because the ingredients were not what they ought to be. The McKinney kind are best.

Only by using pure, high-grade ingredients, spices, etc., can any cook hope for success. If the pie is tasteless, the cake soggy, the pastry bad, or the table delicacy spoiled, more than likely it's the spice or the baking powder or some other apparently trifling thing. Guard against spoiled cookery by using ONLY first class ingredients. It'll pay in the long run—both in health, satisfaction, and in the cook's temper and time. We handle ONLY the best of everything necessary to cook with. Here are a few to which you can pin your faith with confidence:

Cinnamon The best in the world. Put up in either top kind. Wholly unlike the "common

Pepper Both black and red. Spices ground. Extra good and above all, PEPPER.

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Cloves Have a real taste to them. You'll notice the difference in a minute.

Allspice A little better than the ordinary. Not costly, either.

Nutmeg Saves trouble of grating, and is better anyway.

Mace A little of this kind goes a long way. Sifts top cans, like all the rest.

Paprika Ever use it? Its worth its weight in all the other spices—and then some better.

Corn Starch The pure kind that is fit to eat. Much better than the bulk kind, paper, box.

Chocolate Both sweet and bitter. High grade. High strength. Absolutely pure. Guaranteed.

Shredded Coconut This kind will make your cake taste much better. That's because it is strictly fresh and extra good.

Raisins and Currants Sweet, plump, sweet, good, delicious—could multiply adjectives indefinitely. Fact is, they're the BEST YET.

Baking Powder No schemes, alums. Only reputable brands handled. First class, healthful and pure as the mountain pines.

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Directors. T. H. Stam, J. M. Morris, E. E. Swink, W. T. Haile, J. W. Karsch, B. I. Morris, Sam Perringer.

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